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TWO MEASURES PASSED

SENATE ACTS ON REVENUE RE DUCTION AND PROTECTION OF PRESIDENT.

PROTEST FROM MR. TILLMAN

South Carolina Senator Wants the Duty of 10 Cents a Pound Retained on Tea-But 15 Votes Are Record ed Against the Presidential Pro tection Bill-All Amendments Are Rejected.

Washington, March 22 .- Two impor tant measures were passed by the senate, the bill for the repeal of the war revenue war taxes and that for the protection of the president of the United States. The former measure was passed without division, and after only one short speech. Mr. Tillman embill's consideration to protest against the repeal of the duty of 10 cents a pound upon tea.

The bill for the protection of the president was under discussion during the greater part of the session. Mr. Patterson of Colorado, made an extended speech in opposition to it, and Mr. Fairbanks supported it. All amendments to the measure were rejected and it was passed by a vote

The bill provides that any person within the United States who shall ident or any officer on whom the dutles of president may devolve, or any sovereign of a foreign country, or shall attempt to kill any of the persons named, shall suffer death; that any person who shall aid, abet, advise or counsel the killing of any of the persons named, or shall conspire to accomplish their death, shall be imprisoned not exceeding 20 years; that any person who shall threaten to kill or advise or counsel another to kill the president, or any official on whom the duties of president may devolve, years; that any person who shall wilguilty of any of the offenses mention ed shall be deemed an accomplice and shall be punished as a principal. The from the regular army a guard of ofdent, "without any unnecessary display," and the secretary is authorized to make regulations as to the dress, arms and equipment of such guard.

CANNOT BE PUNISHED.

Senate Committee Holds That Miles' Utterances Were Privileged.

Washington, March 22.-The printed testimony of General Miles has not yet been made public and it is understood that it will be submitted to him for approval. It is well understood that a great deal of what he said will not appear in the record. Members of the committee say the report published was correct in substance in every particular. At the same time these senators do not agree that General Miles can be punished for his utterances before the committee whether they appear in the record or not. Of course, the committee could take no action to prevent the retirement of General Miles. That, under the law, is purely an executive act and needs no confir mation or approval of the senate.

Secretary Root was in consultation for some time with President Roose velt at the White House regarding the statement of General Miles before the military affairs committee of the sen-Senator Spooner also was present. Secretary Root declined to talk for publication concerning the mattestimony given by General Miles before the committee.

FOR RIVERS AND HARBORS.

out Division.

Washington, March 22.-The house passed the river and harbor bill, which has been under consideration throughout the week. Although several minor it did when it came from the commit-The N. E. Brain- tee-\$60,688,267, including authoriza-tions. Mr. Sulzer of New York, attempted to force a record vote on the final passage of the bill, but only three members, Messrs. Smith (Ia.), Fitz-gerald (N. Y.) and Cochran (Mo.), supported him.

WANTS TAFT SENT BACK.

Senor Buencamino Sends a Characteristic Letter to Secretary Root.

Washington, March 22.-Secretary Root has received a characteristic letter from Mr. Felipe Buencamino, who was one of the leaders in the orignal Philippine government under Aguinal-do, and is now a member of the Philippine civil service commission and a staunch friend of the United States government: "Permit me," he says, "to offer you my congratulations for your policy over my people. In my people's name I request that you send promptly hereto Governor Taft."

The officials are highly gratified at this unsolicited evidence of the appre-

ciation by the friendly Filipinos of the efforts of Governor Taft to ameliorate their condition and give them good

Defeats Peter Maher in Two Rounds at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, March 22.-Gus Ruhlin and Peter Maher met at the Industrial Athletic club for a 6-round go, and is the latter part of the second round Maher went down and out from a hard left on the jaw. Ruhlin had the bet ter of the go as far as it went. He repeatedly rushed Maher to the ropes.

In the first round the men rushed to a clinch, Ruhlin jabbing his left to OR Peter's face twice and they again come to a clinch. Gus again jabbed his left to the face and Peter returned his left to Ruhlin's ear. Several exchanges followed without particular damage. Maher then planted a right on Ruhlin's eye, bringing first blood. The men were sparring at the bell.

In the second round, Peter opened with a left on the forehead and received on the jaw, which sent him down for the count. Gus then rushed Peter to the ropes, and after an exchange smashed Maher again on the jaw. Ma her looked weak and was again rushed to the ropes, with Ruhlin landing right and left. After a few light exchanges Peter was again sent to the ropes, with Gus jabbing him repeatedly on the left to the jaw, and Peter went down braced the opportunity afforded by the and out. The bell found him on the floor, and his seconds carried him to revived in a short time, however.

BUILDINGS UNDERMINED.

New York Residences Damaged by Excavation for Tunnel.

New York, March 22.-Park avenue accident which, while it entailed no Corner Sixth and Laurel. loss of life, caused a property loss of considerable proportions. The brown stone fronts of several 4-story private houses on the east side of the avenue sank because of the undermining of wilfully and maliciously kill the pres- the foundations by excavations for the rapid transit tunnel. The first serious cave-in occurred when the sidewalk and areaway of 55 Park avenue sank to a considerable depth, leaving the front wall with no support and exposing the cellar. The houses on either side of No. 55 were also rendered unsafe. Later in the afternoon there occurred a further settling of the walls and sidewalks and the residents on the east side of the block were order-

ed by the police to leave their homes. The tunnel along Park avenue, where the trouble occurred, is bored through solid rock. Seams of rock for a distance of about 60 feet commenced to slide in a lateral direction into the tunnel Wednesday night. It was not believed, however, that any great damage would be done until the first cave-in occurred.

The financial loss was estimated at \$75,000 to \$100,000.

HAD TO USE DRAWBRIDGE. Paderewski Insists on Having His

Private Car Turned Around.

Davenport, Ia., March 22 .- Paderewski caused great trouble among the yardmen of the Rock Island road here. He insisted that his private car be turned around for the return trip to Chicago. He could not or would not sleep except with his head toward the locomotive. It was soon found that there was no turntable in this vicinity big enough for his 70-foot Pullman car. Then someone suggested that the car

turned on the draw of the government bridge that crosses the Mississippi river here. This draw swings both ways, and is the biggest turntable in America, but was never used for that purpose before. With the car centered over it, the draw was swung around a half a circle and the car made ready for the planist.

KARVO CONVICTED.

Found Guilty of Murder in the Second Degree at Duluth.

Duluth, March 22 .- Stens Karvo has been found guilty of murder in the second degree for killing Jacob Milly-macki Jan. 10. Karvo is a Finlander and his crime was a brutal one. Millymacki was standing at a bar in a saloon with some friends when Karvo came in. Going over to Millymacki he struck a terrible blow at his neck with a knife, and before he could be pulled away had almost severed his victim's head from the body.

Karvo has since given indications of insanity, and that was the basis of his defense. No motive was developed by the prosecution. The penalty under second degree murder is life imprisonment.

IN DEPLORABLE CONDITION.

Settlers in Northern Arkansas Have Subsisted on Acorns for Days.

Kansas City, Mo., March 22 .- In an effort to relieve the condition of settlers in the drouth-stricken section of Northern Arkansas, steps were taken at the livestock exchange to raise contributions to purchase provisions for the suffering people. A general appeal is to be made to the people of Kansas City.

Deplorable stories of want and des titution have been brought from Arkansas, in the northern part of which state, it is said, many families have subsisted for days on acorns alone.

The scarcity of food is caused by drouth which has continued since April of last year.

Wants the Crimes Act Enforced. London, March 22.-The Times in an editorial assumes that at the cabinet meeting of Friday the question of enforcing the Crimes act was again discussed, and expresses impatience with the government's timorousness in dealing with the growing power of the United Irish League. The Times says it will be perilous for the ministers any longer to shut their eyes

to the serious condition of Ireland.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 22, 1902.

Weather.

Partly cloudy and possibly unsettled weather tonight and Sunday.

BEMIDJI is holding a term of court which the Pioneer says will cover in the city today on business. several weeks, there being 80 civil cases to try and the grand jury is expected to bring in twenty indictments.

According to the dispatches sent out from Sc. Cloud the democratic meeting held there yesterday did not indorse a candidate for congress from the Sixth district as was expected. A motion was made to that effect but it did not prevail.

THE Aitkin Republican says that some weeks ago Captain Shook wrote Congressman Morris suggesting the propriety of the government making an appropriation to clear out the obstructions on the river between Brainerd and Grand Rapids, and a few days ago he received a reply from the congressman stating that when he brought the matter up the committee at this session, "upon looking over the reports we found that the commerce along that part of the river had been gradually diminishing until, according to the engineer's report, it was practically inconsiderable." However, Judge Morris convinced the committee that navigation was about to be resumed and that the commerce on this stretch of the river would hereafter be "considerable," and it was decided to allow him \$10,000 for maintaining navigation on the river between the two points named. Judge Morris also writes that he has had a provision put into the river and harbors bill directing a re-examination of the river between Brainerd and Sandy Lake dam for of and the means of preventing the overflows.

Boys, wake up to the fact that you can get the very best suits now at Linneman & Carlson's for \$18 to \$25. Every suit will be sent up to be fitted on before it is finished.

Grimmer's Sarcasm.

The Brainerd DISPATCH is authority for the statement that Prof. Torrens will be a candidate for superintendent of the St. Cloud and also of the Stillwater schools. Stillwater is a much nicer town than St. Cloud. -St. Cloud Journal-Press.

Don't buy your spring suit, hat or shoes until you have got prices at Westfalls. Biggest bargains ever.

MONEY

Will Be Forced Upon You If You Buy Lots or Lands Now.

I have a few 5 acre farms left on Oak street south of the N. P. shops and some near that avenue where a man can live, keep a cow, poultry and other animals that are usually kept on a farm, and after breakfast or dinner walk to said shops in ten minutes. I have land within a halfmile of the Brainerd Lumber Co.'s yard and southeast of it, that I will sell in 10,20 or 40 acre pieces. Lands within a half-mile of the Northern Pacific Railway shops in 40 acre or smaller pieces.

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

SHAVING 10c AT COCHRAN'S. Under First National Bank.

MILLINERY OPENING,

New York Millinery Store,

Monday and Tuesday afternoon. Three times the usual stock at the

New York millinery store. Hon. A. F. Ferris returned yester-

day from the east. Mrs. Dr. Groves was reported some improved this morning.

Ex-Mayor Kinkle, of Walker, was

M. J. Reilly returned home this

morning from the Hot Springs. F. A. Smith, left for Minneapolis this afternoon for a few days visit.

The "Old Jed Prouty" company arrived in the city this afternoon from the east.

Manager R. M. White, of the Stone-Ordean-Wells Company, went to Duluth this afternoon.

M. R. Emery, of the Scranton

Correspondence schools, came in from the east this afternoon. Master Frank Weitzel went to

Wadena this afternoon to visit for a week with his grandmother. The Aeolian Quartette will sing at the service at the First Coogrega-

tional church tomorrow night. Miss Edith Lagerquist left this afternoon for Aitkin, where she will

visit for a week with friends her home in St. Cloud this afternoon L. Hutton, pastor. to spend her Easter vacation.

of the N. P. Shops in this city, left and 7:30 in the evening. Sunday this afternoon for St. Paul on busi-school at 12 m. Rev. C. E.

Mrs Harry Hance came down from

at the parsonage next Wednesday ton, pastor. afternoon.

Miss Holmes, teacher in the schools of the city, left for her home in Minneapolis this afternoon to spend the Easter vacation.

K. G. Skartim, left for his home at Lake Benton, this afternoon after a pleasant visit in the city with Rev. C. E. Faarar.

Miss Bessie Seelye came in this morning from Pointon, where she is teaching school. She is the guest of Miss Georgia Clulow.

The Misses Gertrude and Hildegarde Koop left this afternoon for Little Falls where they will visit for

a few days with relatives. A. O. Daniels, of Crookston, is in the city the guest of Comrade J. C. Congdon. He has sold his farm and

is on his way to the coast. Miss Nevitt, who resigned as teacher in the schools of the city, left for Minneapolis this afternoon where

Last night John McNaughton was taken with a slight attack of apoplexy but is much better and for the time being no serious results are anticipat-

she will make her home in the fu-

substitute clerk in the postoffice of states. this city by the First assistant Postmaster General to take effect Monday, March 24th.

The violet tea given by the M. E. Ladies' Aid yesterday, at the home Rich agricultural farm, grass and of Mrs. Stillings, was a decided success. A nice musical program was rendered, delicious lunch served and the Grand Forks jail a few days ago, all enjoyed a pleasant afternoon.

Jealousy the Cause.

Thompsons, Utah, March 22.-Chas-Bothe, better known as "Dutch Charlie," of Lasal, Utah, killed William Tebbits and Mrs. Bothe last Wednesday. Bothe is now under arrest at Placerville, Colo. Jealousy caused the

tragedy. Gave Birth to Triplets.

Spring Valley, Minn., March 22 .-Mrs. Frank Beach, of this place, has given birth to triplets. They are all boys. The mother and children are doing well. Mr. Beach is a farmer living six miles southest of here.

Drops Sampson-Schley Controversy. Washington, March 22.-The house washington, March 22.—The house committee on naval affairs, by a vote of 7 to 4, has accepted a resolution concurring in the conclusions of President Roosevelt as to terminating the Schley controversy, and indefinitely postponing all bilis and resolutions on the subject. The vote was on party lines, except that Mr. Mudd of Marylland voted with the Democrats against is dead. He was one of the most and voted with the Democrats against one mill library tax.

WHERE TO WORSHIP

Presbyterian church: Morning service at 10:30; Evening 7:30. Rev. A. H. Carver, pastor.

First M. E. church: Morning service at 10:30 o'clock; Sunday school at 12. Evening service at 7:30. Rev. James Clulow, pastor.

Swedish Lutheran church: Morning service at 10:30; Sunday school at 12 m.; evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. J. A. Johnson, pastor.

First Baptist church: Morning service at 10:30; Sunday school at 12 m.; evening service at 8 o'clock. Rev. S. W. Hover, pastor.

Swedish M. E. church: Services in the Harrison school building every Sunday at10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. Rev. N. P. Glemaker, pastor.

Swedish Baptist church: Morning service at 10:30; Sunday school at noon; Young People's Society meeting, 6:45; evening service, 7:45. Services in Johnson's ball. Rev. A. A. Anderson, pastor.

St. Francis Catholic church: Early mass 8:30 a. m.; high mass 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school 2 o'clock p. m.; vespers and benediction 8 o'clock p. m.; mass on week days 7:30 a. m., except on Tuesdays and Saturdays, when mass is at St. Joseph's hospital. Rev. D. W. Lvnch, pastor.

First Congregational church-Morning services at 10:30; Sunday school at noon; evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Morning subject, "The Thorn-Crowned Man;"evening, "Fast Miss Sadie Mackerell returned to Living in a far Country." Rev. M.

St. Pauls Episcopal church: Regu-A. Dinan, the new general forman lar services at 10:30 in the morning Farrar, rector.

Peoples Congregational church: Fargo this afternoon no visit for a Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. time with her sister, Mrs. Harry Sunday school at noon; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45 p. m. Seats free. Every-The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. body welcome. Strangers especially church will meet with Mrs. Clulow invited to all services. Rev. A. Mor-

D. K. Laurie will lead the men's S. C. Bagley, who has charge of the meeting at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow Walker and Akeley lumbering busi- afternoon, at 4 o'clock. The subject the purpose of ascertaining the cause ness on spur 75, is in the city today will be "The Lost Axe Restored by a Miracle."

Neighborhood Gossip.

The trains on all the roads west are now moving.

F. D. Horton, of Wadena, died in a Fargo hospital

The dwelling of Ed Perry at Little Falls was burned.

Thomas Brooks, an aged resident of Rochester, is dead. At Ellsworth the saloon license

has been raised to \$800. The spring term of the district

court has opened at Morris. The jury disagreed in the Mark

Murphy trial at Bismarck, N. D. Gov. Van Sant visited Fergus Falls

and inspected the insane asylum. Cornelius O'Leary, an old resident

of Fargo, was found dead in bed. The Fergus Falls Building & Loan Association has elected new officers. Ralph Maxwell, of Lidgerwood, N.

D., has bought a creamery at Fargo. The Elks of Grand Forks will open their new lodge rooms next Tuesday.

Three thousand Dunkards are en-Ray H. Paine has been appointed route to North Dakota from eastern The Jasper, Minn., village council

has reised the liquor license from \$500 to \$1000. Otto Faust, the missing wealthy

farmer near Valley City, has showed up well and happy. C. M. Stewart, who broke out of

has been recaptured. The new city council ot Verndale has been qualified. Every member is

an ex-mayor of the town. Stanley Thomas, twenty years of age, of Benton county, was arrested |

charged with illegal voting. John Delaney, a rich cattle buyer, was frozen to death near Park River,

Lake, N. D.

It is reported from the head of the

lakes that the lake season will open

thirty days earlier this year than in previous years. Mapleton people don't appear to want a city library. At the election, March 11th, they voted down a

PROTEST FROM GOMPERS.

Objects to the Amended Anti-Injuction Bill in the Senate.

Washington, March 22.-Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, has sent to the senate a protest against the "conspir acy" or anti-injunction bill as reported to the senate on the 17th inst., by the committee on the judiciary. He says that when the bill was first reported Feb. 3, "it was received by all parties feeling, however, was rudely changed, he says, by the latest report. He quoted the opinion of an attorney to the effect of the bill as now reported "is completely subversive of all principles of liberty," and added, "organized labor seeks no immunity from the law applicable to all other citizens and people of our country, but must insist that those things which are legal when performed by other citizens ought not to be illegal when performed by members of organized labor, and it was to recover those rights to the members of organized labor that the original bill was drafted."

He concludes by saying that the labor interests would prefer the defeat of the bill as amended to its pass-He however, asks that the original bill be favorably acted upon.

NOT THOUGHT IMPORTANT.

Colombia's Purpose to Censor Diplomatic Cable Dispatches.

Washington, March 22.-The state and navy departments have been informed of the purpose of the government of Colombia to censor all dispatches passing over the cables be tween diplomatic and consular officers on the isthmus and their home governments. The notice came to the navy department from Captain Reisinger of the Philadelphia, now at Panama, and the state department had its information from the cable companies. Very little importance is attached to the notice for there have been many such in recent years which never were enforced against the United States at least. Our government, being under obligation to protect isthmian transit, undoubtedly would hold that the free use of the cables and telegraphs is necessary to the exercise of that power, and would not permit any interference with it. With a war vessel on either side of the isthmus there is little doubt of the physical ability of our government to protect its cable communication.

ADVANCE FOR COUGHLIN.

Said the President Will Remit Part of a Courtmartial Sentence.

Washington, March 22 .- It is understood that Captain Joseph B. Coughlin is about to be advanced five numbers on the list of naval captains through the remission by the president of part of the sentence of a courtmartial from which he is now suffering. Years ago when the captain was a junior officer, he clashed with the detail officer of the navy department and for writing a sharp letter was courtmartialed and sentenced to lose 11 numbers in his grade. By the special act rewarding the captains of the United States fleet \$10.00 now......\$6.67 engaged in the battle of Manila bay, Captain Coughlin regained some of the lost numbers and he now seeks to be completely reinstated. This would place Captain Coughlin second on the list of naval captains, just below Captain Sands, jumping him over Captains Clark, Cook, Wise and Yates Stirling, and he would become a rear admiral in the course of the year through the retirements of Rear Admirals Remey and Farquhar.

TAKE IN THE TOWN.

Thousands of Knights of Pythias Enjoy Chicago's Hospitality.

Chicago, March 22.-Though their jubilee was at an end, thousands of visiting Knights of Pythias spent the day in Chicago. Various visiting lodges became guests of the different lodges at banquets, balls and other entertainments. The jubilee as declared to be by far the most spccessful in point of attendance ever held by the organization. There were delegates from Florida and from California, and from Maine ad New Jersey. Whole lodges attended from points a thousand miles away from Chicago. "The jublice was a great success," said Grand Chancellor Cushing, "and we are now more than pleased with the result. The meeting will awaken interest in the organization and also

will prove of great benefit to the knights individually." TRANSFER OF CUBA.

Governor Wood Summoned to Washington to Arrange for It.

Washington, March 22.-A conference on Cuban affairs will be held in this city between Governor General Wood, who is now on his way to Washington, and the president and the sec retary of war. It is probable that Mr. Palma, president-elect of Cuba, who is expected in Washington soon, also will be invited to confer with the president in regard to the proposed transfer of the government of the island to his charge. General Wood was specially summoned to Washington by the president to arrange for the transfer.

BONDED FLOURING MILLS. Entire Product Must Be Sold Outside

the Country.

Washington, March 22 .- In reply to inquiries in regard to bonded flour manufacturing warehouses, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Spaulding has held that under section 15 of the tariff act of 1897 no articles or materials received into bonded manufactur-N. D. during the recent storm.

A. B. Kerlin, of Park Rapids, has been granted a light, telephone and sewer system franchise at Devils Lake, N. D.

Talls received into conded manufacturing warehouses can be withdrawn except for exportation. Domestic wheat may be transferred to a bonded manufacture with imported wheat, but the flour and all of the by-products from the combined manufacture must be exported.

Used the Mails to Defraud. St. Louis, Mo., March 22.—St. Louis government officers have placed under arrest a man named Charles F. Reuter, alias George W. Werner, whom they will endeavor to convict of using the mails to defraud, he having attempted to induce 200 women located all over the country to correspond with him, ostensibly with a view to matrimony. Reuter confessed to numerous fraudulent transactions.

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JURISDICTIONS ARE CHANGED.

Master Mechanic Bean Will Have the Lake Superior Division and Shops.

Quite a surprise was sprung in railroad circles this morning when a circular made its appearance announcing the promotion of Harry A. Lyddon, who has been for a number of years general forman of the shops of the Northern Pacific in this city.

the position of master mechanic of the Minnesota division of the Northern Pacific, with headquarters at Staples.

The jurisdiction over which Master Mechanic Bean has ruled has been divided so that his labors will be greatly reduced and he will be given more time for the detail work at the shops. Heretofore Mr. Bean has had charge of all of the Lake Superior and Minnesota divisions with all their branches. The former includes the line from Staples to Duluth and from Duluth to Ashland, Wis., with all the branches and all the trackage in the Minnesota division from St. Paul to Farge and from Winnipeg Junction to Pembina. Mr. Lyddon, just appointed master mechanic will have charge of the lines from St. Paul to Fargo with all its branches and also the line from Winnipeg Junction to Pembina. It is a very responsible position as it is one of the most important divisions of the road.

Harry A. Lyddon is one of those men who has risen to the top by absolute merit. He started to work in the shops in this city about fifteen years ago as a machinist, and has remained constantly in Brainerd with the exception of a short time when he was at Mandan as general foreman of the shops there. He arose from the position of machinist and has filled every position almost connected with the mechanical department that would necessarily fit him for the responsible position which he has now been tendered. He will for the time being make Brainerd his bome going to Staples to attend to his duties. He certainly has the best wishes of a large circle of friends in this city.

Along with the announcement that Mr. Lyddon had been promoted comes the appointment of Arthur Dinan, who is to succeed Mr. Lyadon at the Northern Pacific shops in this He has for years been general foreman of the N. P. shops at Gladstone and comes highly recommended. He was for eighteen years general foreman for the Chicago, Minneapolis, St. Paul & Omaha at St. Paul.

The circular also announces the appointment of C. S. Larrison, of Fargo, as air brake inspector of the Minnesota division with headquarters at St. Paul, succeeding J. E. Goodman. Mr. Goodman has been promoted to the position of mechanical inspector of the Minnesota division with headquarters in St. Paul.

Large line of 2nd hand Household goods to be sold for storage at D. M. Clark & Co's.

WHERE CHICKENS GET THE AXE

The Young Men Arrested on Complaint of Jerome Kelleher Brought Before Judge Blewitt.

This morning Philip Sylvester, Chas. Sundeen and Hans Ausdahl were taken before his honor, Judge Blewitt to have a hearing on the charge of stealing some blankets from the Globe hotel. The first two mentioned were found guilty and were sentenced to pay a fine of \$30 or spend thirty days in the county jail. The case against Ausdahl was dismissed as it was not proven that he had any connection with the matter. The other two were sent

Jerome Kelleher caused to have a warrant issued afterwards for Frank Tilley, charging him with being implicated in the affair also. Tilley was fined \$30 and he paid it on the

A few 2nd hand ladies and gents Bicycles for sale cheap. Househ goods etc. Store 617 Main St.

Your rent money buys a home, see Nettleton.

BOTH LEGS ARE BROKEN.

Contractor James Kellehan Meets with An Unfortunate Accident Yesterday Afternoon.

Yesterday afternoon Contractor James Kellehan met with a very painful accident and one which may cause him considerable trouble. He had the misfortune to have both his legs broken and was immediately removed to the N. P. Sanitarium.

Mr. Kellehan was engaged with a number of men in moving two old skows belonging to a lumber company from the N. P. yards to the flats on the Mississippi river. When the brow of the hill had been reached and as soon as one of the old skows started down the incline it got away from the crew and Mr. Kelleban being in front of it he was thrown down and a roller passed over both his Mr. Lyddon has been promoted to legs, one was broke below the knee and the other just above the knee.

The injured man was moved at once to the Northern Pacific Sanitarium, where his wounds were dressed. Mr. Kellehan has the sympathy of a large circle of friends. PROF KEPPEL ACCEPTS POSITION

He Left Today for Dawson, Minn., Where He Has Accepted Superinten-

dency of Schools. Prof. Keppel leaves tonight for Dawson, Minn., where he has accepted a position as superintendent of the schools of that place. Mr. Keppel had intended going to Minneapolis to engage in the insurance business but the tender of the school was made him and he accepted.

Mr. Keppel has the best wishes of a large circle of friends in the city who regret to see him leave.

Special Kid Glove Sale.

This week we offer all our best warranted kid gloves, never sold less than \$1.25, also the best Mocha gloves, all shades only 98 cents at Moberg's.

D. M. Clark & Co., carry a nice line of sectional Book Cases.

AITKIN CERTAINLY GOT IT RIGHT HARD

The Basket Ball Team From That Town Got A Hard Drubbing In This City.

IT WAS A VERY BUM GAME.

Aitkin's Players Did not Even Score Once During the Even-

ing.

Brainerd 80; Aitkin 0.

There was a game of basket ball last night in Gardner hall, that is it was supposed to be a game, but in fact it was so onesided that it could hardly be called a game at all.

The game was betwen the high schools of Brainerd and Aitkin and pathos presented by Richard Golden the former won out by a big margin. The Brainerd boys had it in for the Aitkin team ever since the foot ball has been subjected, there has obgames last fall and they were looking for revenge last night and certainly got it. The Aitkin team returned this morning sadder but wiser for the experience they had. They were entirely outclassed as will be seen by the one sided score. The home team showed excellent team work and there were some great exhibitions of individual work. The Aitkin team played as though they were really in a foot ball game and when the ball was rushed down the line and thrown the only delineator of Yankee charinto a basket they did not seem to realize what had happened.

The lineup of the two teams was

3	as follows:	
	Brainerd-	-Aitkin
	Sanbornc	Erickson
	Boylerf	Rogers
	O'Brien1f	Olson
	Lowey rg	Foley
	Whitelg	
	Baskets thrown-O'I	

born, 3; Lowey, 1; Boyle, 7. Foul baskets thrown, 2. Brown, referee,

Fish, umpire. Doran, timekeeper. Time of balves, 20 minutes.

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A nice, well-kept garden in the back yard can easily be made to save from \$75 to \$100 this summer. If you are going to buy a home this season now is the time to get at it, so you can get the benefit of the garden. I have several fine places with large back yards that will make splendid gardens. I can sell them on a small payment down and balance on monthly payments that amount to less than nominal rent. See me quick and get P. B. NETTLESON, the best.

THE MARCH SETTLEMENT.

County Officials Have Just Completed It | Ole Larson buys the Land, Paying Mr and It Shows Some Very Inter-

esting Figures. County Auditor Mahlum has just

finished figuring up the regular March settlement and in many respects it makes an interesting showing. The grand total foots up to \$39,488.30. This is larger by \$14,000 than the same settlement of last

The fund is divided in the following manner:

Schools.....\$15,193 25 City and towns..... 7,591 34 State and County for various purposes...... 13,282 28

Judgt. Against School Dist. 22..... Dog tax..... 726 00

Penalty and Interest..... 2672 72 The schools of the city of Brainerd get \$15,595.47 and the following items

are credited to the city proper: City revenue..... \$ 5299 09 Acct. 4th St. paving Delinquent Sdwk tax..... City sinking fund...... Collections for Bdg. certificates.....

You can save 25 per cent to 50 per cent by buying your spring outfits at Westfalls. Don't forget it.

A Vassar girl, writing home after a holiday vacation, says: "Our compartment in the Pioneer Limited on the Milwaukee road was as cosy and comfortable as my own room at home. The train employes were courteous and gentlemanly and our trip from St. Paul to Chicago was the pleasantest part of the journey."

Try a Package of Baker's Mocha and Java coffee 20c per lb at Cale & Bane's

D. M. Clark & Co., largest Instalment House in city. Goods sold on

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SI HALL SELLS FARM.

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Good Price.

Silas Hall today closed a deal with Ole Larson whereby he transfers to him his farm of 160 acres south of

This is one of the finest farms in Crow Wing county, most of the land now being under cultivation. The consideration for the farm was \$2,000.

Dry mill wood for sale. Call on mill wood teamsters or 'phone 221-1m

Parlor Musicale.

The program of The Parlor Musicale to be held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. LaBar, on Tuesday evening March 25, is as fol-

Mandolin Solo...... Mr. Jay Patek Vocal Solo........Mrs. Atherton With obligato whistled by

Piano Solo......Mrs. Crane Mandolin Solo......Mr. Jay Patek Vocal Duet Mrs. Atherton and Mrs. LaBar.

A horrible fate befell a shipment of horses on the Great Northern during the storm. Five car-loads of horses billed for Pembina were stalled in the storm at Voss, a station in Walsh county, four miles east of Minto, and before they could be moved three car-loads of them were frozen to

Geo. H. Spear and H. E. Graffam have been appointed as the commission which will take the testimony in the hearing of the charges of malfeasance which have been placed against County Attorney Pratt. The hearing will take place on the 27th. -Grand Rapids Magnet.

Grand Forks people are agitated over the question of putting in meters with their water system.

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

RICHARD GOLDEN TONIGHT.

Richard Golden in "Old Jed Prouty" will doubtless be greeted by a large audience tonight at the Brainerd Opera House. This is one attraction among the many that the management feels perfectly safe in recommending, for it has been tried and tested and fills a long felt want.

Richard Golden's acting, and the play of "Old Jed Prouty" can be enjoyed over and over again; each time some new and delicate beauty appears, or some pleasant memory is awakened, or some sweet fancy is suggested. Certain it is that no other play before us at the present abounds in such wholesome material as we find in the homely pictures and the genial humor and tender in his work. Amid all the changes and fluctuation to which our stage tained a strong demand for a purely American drama-a play which should truthfully illustrate a type of humanity. This demand is fully answered in "Old Jed Prouty," a production so complete in its naturalness that it seems to be not a play, but acted bits of Yankeedom and of Yarkee flesh and blood plucked from down-east and spread before us for our delectation and benefit. Richard Golden, himself, is unquestionably ter the stage has had; he does not act-he is.

Seats now on sale at H. P. Dunn & Co's drug store.

"WHOSE BABY ARE YOU."

"An effervescent ecstasy" is the way Mark E. Swan describes his latest contribution to the farcial literature of the stage, "Whose Baby are You?" that makes its appearance in this city at the Brainerd Opera House on Monday evening.

Next to Hoyt, this young author has done more to make the public laugh than any other dramatist in America to-day. He wrote "Brown's in Town' that made such a success the past two seasons. His latest production "Whose Baby are You?" he considers his funniest effort. In spite of it's absurd title it really is a high class three act farce that deals with the adventures of an eccentric young artist and an amusing baby. The entire piece is a rattling jumble of fun, a maze of ludicrous situations and brain-bewildering complications that sets the average audience wild with merriment. It was constructed for laughing purposes only. An excellent company of established farceurs will interpret the piece. Mr. Myron B. Rice, who will manager the company has been fortunate enough to secure the services of Miss May Vokes and Mr. Chas. W. Bowser, who will be seen in the leading roles

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pert tailor at Linneman & Carlson's will be tried on by an expert fitter before they are finished. So an absolute fit is guaranteed. The tailor will stay until Sunday noon.

Nettleton makes real estate loans and helps people to get homes. Try a package of Baker's

Mocha and Java coffee, 20c per 1b at Cale & Bane's.

Knee pant suits for boys are sell ing at # price at Westfalls. Go and

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onday morning we shall put on Sale among Mother Bargains, a Ladies' |Shrunk Oxford, Gray WALKING SKIRT at \$1.50. Another lot at \$2.00 each, and still another grade at \$2.75.

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onday morning we will put on Sale a line of M Spring DRESS GOODS in Wools, all High Grade Novelties in Plain Colors, Moles, Tans, Grays, Blacks, Navy, Browns, Castors, etc. These fabrics are new and strictly up-to-date, Metropolitan Goods. By this we mean that you might wear these goods in Paris, London, New York or Brainern, they would be JUST RIGHT.

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LFRED STEAD WRITES TO THE SATURDAY REVIEW REGARD-ING HAWAIL

ANNEXATION IS TOO BLAME

J. A. BATCHELDER, Ast. Cashier. Foremost Advocates of Union With the United States in 1898 Now Bitter in Their Denunciation of It. Tariff Concessions to Cuba Also Threaten to Kill Off the Sugar In-

> London, March 22.-The Saturday Review, continuing its anti-American campaign, publishes a long communication from Alfred Stead, son of William T. Stead, the editor, picturing the alleged deplorable condition of Hawaii as a result of annexation to the United States. Mr. Stead says that the unvarying lament is heard from every class, whether planter, merchant, or member of the government, to the effect that Hawaii has reaped no good from annexation. The foremost advocates of annexation in 1898 are now the most bitter and outspoken in bewailing its accomplishment. Mr. Stead says that the application of the American coastwise navigation laws has deprived the islands of the use of 371,863 tons of shipping annually, thus crippling trade and raising freight

The wealthy inhabitants of the islands, continues Mr. Stead, when they are in a hurry to reach the Pacific coast, are frequently forced to take passage on a foreign vessel and pay a fine of \$200 in addition to their fare.

The frequent calls of transports are greatly disliked, since they almost always bring smallpox or some other contagion requiring quarantine, says the writer, and the exclusion of the Chinese is ruining the labor market. The tariff concessions to Cuba

threaten to kill the sugar industry. America has twice prevented Hawaii from obtaining a cable. Hawaii is thus cut off from newspaper publicity which is essential to securing speedy reforms.

Commenting editorially on this communication of Mr. Stead, the Saturday Review says: "Whatever evils the Hawaiians are suffering as a result of American protection, they have richly merited as a punishment for their monstrous treatment of Queen Liliuo

WITHOUT ANY GOVERNMENT.

Ohio Supreme Court Decision May Place Cleveland in a Bad Fix.

Cleveland, O., March 22 .- A Columbus dispatch says that the supreme court judges are practically unaning A. P. REYMOND for a decision that will knock out the Cleveland federal plan law and that Expert Watchmaker the decision will be rendered within a few days. Action was brought some time ago by Attorney Charles D. Gibbons and others, in a suit to oust the federal plan on the grounds of unconstitutionality. The decision of the supreme court will be final, and if the petitioners' case is sustained Clevelanw will be without any form of government whatever. In view of this, it is said that strenuous efforts will be made to pass the municipal code bill now before the legislature. Should this bill be held over for an extra session and an adverse decision rendered by the supreme court in the meantime, the city of Cleveland will find itself in a very bad fix.

The federal plan is a one-man-power government, the mayor and his appointive board of control being the executive, created by special legislative act for cities of the first class. Cleveland alone is under the system. The municipal code bill seeks to make the system general, to apply to all the cities in the state. The constitutionality of special legislative enactment is questioned.

METHODISTS IN SESSION.

Representatives of Northern and Southern Bodies Meet at Baltimore.

Baltimore, March 22.-The first session of a joint commission represent ing the Methodist Episcopal church and the Methodist Episcopal church South, began during the day at the Women's college in this city. The conference was held in private. A member of the commission of the Northern branch of the church said that the result of the conference will undoubtedly be far reaching, and that it would be impossible to predict the scope of the general result.

Following are some of the items that have been brought for consideration: Unification of mission work in all foreign fields; strengthening the various posts of the two churches by thorough organization and equipment; the establishment of a more economic basis of operation; the establishment of a joint female seminary in the foreign field; an appropriation to establish a book concern and publishing house in China; the establishment of secular and religious papers in the foreign fields.

NOT TROUBLED ABOUT IT.

Ex-President Cleveland's Only Comment on Editor Bryan's Attack.

Princeton, N. J., March 22.-Former President Grover Cleveland was shown a dispatch from Lincoln, Neb., which said that W. J. Bryan, commenting editorially in The Commoner upon Mr. Cleveland's recent letter to a Missis sippi editor, denounces him as "a traitor, ingrate and political nonentity."
"I am not at all troubled about it," was the only comment Mr. Cleveland

would make. The former president was asked what he thought of the prospects of pulling together the Democratic party for the next presidential campaign and replied: "I don't know much about it, but there seems to be some efforts in that direction. I do not care to ex-GEMMELL, Gen. Manager. press any further opinion on it at pres-

TREATY HAS LAPSED.

United States Wants a Man in Mexico for an Old Crime.

El Paso, Tex., March 22.-An international controversy is likely to arise over the extradition of Charles Gilbert Webb, captured Wednesday morning in Mexico and wanted for eight years on a charge of robbing a mail coach in Idaho. Webb is now in jail in Parral. According to Mexican Consul Mellon of this city, the man cannot be extradited unless this government makes an especial request of Mexico and agrees to deliver to the Mexican government all Mexican criminals or suspects arrested under like circumstances in this country.

The difficulty arises through the fact that the treaty existing at the time the crime was committed and at the time the extradition papers were signed has since been annulled by the government of Mexico. A new treaty is now in existence and criminals extraditable under the old one cannot be delivered over by the government under the treaty of today.

Prominent Washington Doctor Dead. Washington, March 22.-A dispatch from Atlantic City, N. J., announces the death there during the night of Dr. W. W. Johnston of this city. The deceased was one of the best known physicians of Washington, an expert in the treatment of diseases of the heart, and was one of the physicians called during the last hours of President McKinley's illness, but reached his bedside too late to be of service. He was of advanced age. The cause of death was pericarditis.

Trust Buying Iron in Germany.

Berlin, March 22.-The United States Steel corporation is buying iron in Germany, some of which is for structural purposes. It is reported in the trade that the corporation has instructed its agents to be ready to buy extensively. Two thousand tons of pig iron have just been bought in Silesia on Pittsburg account. Sales of iron are also announced from Westphalia.

Vatican Robber Sentenced.

Rome, March 22.-The trial of the three officials of the Vatican who were charged with thefts from the Vatican treasury aggregating £16,000, has been concluded. The official named Scotto was convicted and sentenced to eight years' imprisonment, while the two others were acquitted on the charges against them.

Revolution Feared in Hayti.

Kingston, Jamaica, March 22.-Letters received here from Porte Au Prince, Hayti, say that the whole country is disturbed owing to the bad political situation. The government, it is added, is making numerous arrests in several quarters, principally Jacmel, where it is feared a revolutionary outbreak is imminent.

Aldermen Have a Fight.

Clarksburg, W. Va., March 22 .- At a meeting of the city council, Aldermen Frank R. Moore called Alderman A. S. Long a liar and both men clinched and fought over the room upsetting desks and chairs. They were finally separated by the mayor and chief of police. Moore apologized and was fined \$5.

Rhodes Decidedly Weaker.

Cape Town, March 22.—The weather here is cooler and it is rainy. During the night Cecil Rhodes was breathing better and took nourishment, but his heart was weaker. According to the latest report, issued at midnight, the patient was restless and decidedly weaker.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Stewart Fife, on trial at Savannah, Mo., for the murder of Frank Richardson, has been acquitted.

The Lake Carriers' association has fixed the wage scale for seamen upon practically the same basis as last year. The house committee on naval affairs will hear the labor interests on April 2 on the plan of building warships in government navy yards.

The cruiser Olympia, formerly Ad Dewey's flagship, will sail Wednesday for the West Indies, where she will join the North Atlantic squad-

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, March 21.-Wheat-May, 71%c; July, 72%@72%c. Track-No. 1 hard, 74c; No. 1 Northern, 72@721/c; No. 2 Northern, 701/c.

Sioux City Live Stock.

Sioux City, Ia., March 21 .- Cattle-Beeves, \$4.50@6.30; cows, bulls and mixed, \$2.00@4.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.00@4.50; yearlings and calves, \$3.00@4.25. Hogs-\$6.05@6.40.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards. St. Paul, March 21 .- Cattle-Fancy butcher steers, \$5.75@6.10; fancy butcher cows and heifers, \$4.75@5.10; good to choice veals, \$4.75@5.50. Hogs-\$6.10@6.45. Sheep-Good to choice \$4.50@5.00; lambs, \$5.00@6.25.

Duluth Grain.

Duluth, March 21.-Wheat-Cash, No. 1 hard, 741/2c; No. 1 Northern, 71%c; No. 2 Northern, 69c; No. 3 spring, 67c. To Arrive—No. 1 hard, 741/2c; No. 1 Northern, 711/2c; May, 721/2c; July, 731/2@73%c. Flax-Cash, \$1.73%.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, March 21.-Cattle-Good to prime steers, \$6.75@7.10; poor to medinm \$4.25@6.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.50@5.00; cows and heifers, \$1.25@6.00; Texas steers, \$5.00@6.00. Hogs-Mixed and butchers, \$6.10@ 6.50; good to choice heavy, \$6.40@ 6.57%; rough heavy, \$6.10@6.35; light, \$5.90@6.30; bulk of sales, \$6.15@6.35. Sheep—Good to choice, \$5.00@5.60; lambs, \$4.00@6.90.

Chicago Grain and Provisions. Chicago, March 21.-Wheat-March 72c; May, 73%@73%c; July, 74%@ 74%c; Sept., 74%c. Corn—March, 59c; May, 60%c; July, 60%@60%c; Sept., 58%c; Dec., 48%c. Oats—March, 4214c; May, 4314c; July, 35@3514c; Sept., 2914c. Pork—March, \$15.4714; May, \$15.6214; July, \$15.75. Flax— Northwestern, \$1.72; Southwest-Eggs-15c. Poultry-Turkeys, 100 14%c; chickens, 10@11%c.

RAILROADS AGREE TO SUBMIT TO THE ACTION OF THE GOV. ERNMENT.

A CONTEST IS UNADVISABLE

Would Be a Practical Admission That They Desired to Carry on Secret Manipulations of Rates-Roads East of Chicago Announce a Reduction in the Tariff on Packing House Prod-

Chicago, March 22.-Attorneys for the various railroads that it is sought to enjoin from secretly cutting rates J. W., care Dispatch. held a conference and, it is said, agreed to make no fight against the action of the government. This step was decided to be advisable on the ground that a contest would be a practical admission that the transportation interests desired the injunctions dissolved in order that secret manipulations might be carried on.

The only feeling among the railroad lawyers is over the alleged failure to treat all lines alike. Several of what are callled the most chronic rate cutters have not been proceeded against. The feeling on this point, however, is not of sufficient intensity to prompt the big companies to attempt to fight over the seeming discrimination.

The first evidence of the effect of the injunction proceedings was the announcement by the roads operating east from Chicago of a reduction in the tariff rates on packing house products to become effective Tuesday.

Kansas City, Mo., March 22.—Copies of the bill of complaint in which the interstate commerce commission seeks to enjoin the kansas City-Chicago railroads from making illegal rate disclerk of the United States circuit in this city during the day. The hearing Minn. on the application for the injunction will take place here next Tuesday. The railroads against which complaint is made are the Missouri Pacific, Chicago and Alton, Wabash, Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, the Burlington and Rock Island.

It is expected that the railroads will make only an informal defense and will consent to a permanent injunction restraining them from secretly cutting rates, paying rebates or in any other manner departing from their published tariffs.

The transportation bureau is specially interested in the proceedings, as it has filed a complaint with the interstate commerce commissioners to stop the grain rate discriminations against Kansas City.

PREVENTED A COLLISION. A Train Dispatcher's Wild Ride on

Switch Engine. Indianapolis, Ind., March 22 .- A mad

race with a switch engine after a fast freight train which had been given the right of way and was drawing closer every moment upon another train, which was advancing under similar orders, is the method utilized to prevent a wreck on the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern railroad.

The dispatcher at Washington gave a fast freight at Shoals the right of way over another fast freight which was at Washington east-bound.

The orders put both trains on the main line with the right of way. A few moments after the east-bound train pulled out the dispatcher discovered his mistake, and, abandoning his instruments, flew to the railroad yards and demanded an engine. One was standing on the track, and in a moment it was switched to the main track, the throttle thrown open and the race began to overtake the rapidly moving train. It happened to be a long and exceedingly heavy train, and ten miles out from Washington the red lights on the caboose were distinguished.

Every available pound of steam was crowded on, and the engine came up behind the train just before it reached a way station, where it was run in on a switch. The loss of another minute would have brought the two trains together.

LIBERALS' VIEWS DIFFER.

"Gladstone League" Will Oppose the "Rosebery League."

London, March 22 .- War on the policy of Lord Rosebery's so-called Liberal league is the object of an organization effected during the afternoon under the name of the Gladstone league. The new body is the old Liberal league against aggression and militarism rechristened. The membership em braces all the foremost men of the ultra radical section of the opposition and many of the leading representa-

tives of the central body of Liberals. Its sponsors say the league will press aggressively and stubbornly for measures of conciliation in South Africa, holding that the government's pol icy of unconditional surrender and perpetual banishment for the Boer leaders contains the seeds of endless warfare and comprehensive ruin from the Zambesi river to the cape.

AFTER OUR SECRET.

Kaiser Trying to Find the Reason for America's Industrial Predominence.

Berlin, March 22.-Emperor William is eagerly engaged in studing the reaof the United States. The reports ef the United States. The reports made to the foreign office by L. M. Goldberger, royal councillor of commerce, and a member of the imperial German consulting board for commercial measures, have been forwarded to the emperor, who impatiently awaits fresh installments. He annotates fresh reports marginally and sends suggestions for new inquiries bearing especially on German conditions. Herr Goldberger's reports cannot be obtained for publication at present. They will probably be held in confidence until they have been edited. til they have been edited.

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